

## **Sarah Ellen Stewart Davis**

### **1850-1950 Lehi Centennial Biography**

Sarah Ellen Stewart Davis , daughter of Charles and Sarah Ann Roberts Davis, daughter of Charles and Sarah Ann Roberts, was born February 2, 1847, at Keokuk, Iowa, and emigrated to Utah in 1852. Sarah Ellen Stewart married Elisha Hildebrand Davis Jr. in the Endowment House on January 31, 1871. “Lexie” as she was known was from Pleasant Grove.

She desired to become a good homemaker, wife and mother. She was wise, gentle, industrious, understanding, had a refined nature and combined with the admirable attributes of her husband, they were able to build lives of unselfish devotion in the years to come, for their family.

Sarah was busy, sewing carpet rags, drying fruit, scrubbing wooden floors, and attending to church duties. Their home was filled with laughter and merriment of children and the many friends who loved to join them.

They became parents of nine children. Those living are Pearl-Allred Broomhead, LeRoy-Nellie Powers, Sadie-Oliver Kittinger, Ruby-John W. Stoker, Arreva-Geo. Morris, Chelta-Alex Brown.